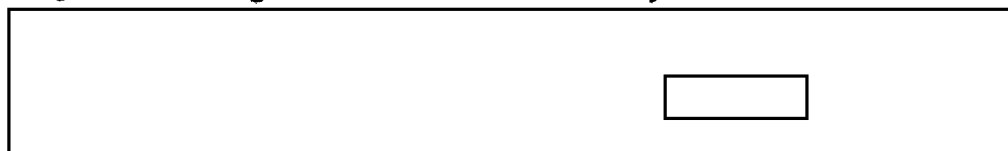


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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Wisner, Deputy Director, Planning *ER file*

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It might be useful for the State Department representative attending PCG to be informed in advance of this proposed topic in order to enable him to take soundings with the desk or area division in State as to the present status of plans for the development of a policy for Syria.

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ALLEN W. DULLES  
Director

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cc: Mr. Bissell  
Mr. Roosevelt

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